

# How we organise ourselves

*In the classroom.*

## ***Suggestions for Action at Home:***

We can help ourselves by finding more information in the internet and books. If your children say "EEEEWWWW" at your dinner remind them that some children would love a meal like that! We would like that you check your child's homework! Please make sure you bring a hat to school. Parents should take an interest in their children and what they do in school. Always remember to check the WIKI. We could donate clothes, games and food. Do some research on Iqbal Masih, because the notes will be very useful this Unit. We donate money and clothes to poor people and we play games on the wiki space that donate food to them.

## **Maths:**

We are learning multiplication, division, addition, subtraction and word problems. In math we did pie charts using Microsoft Excel to make a pie chart with the information we gathered from Year 5 and 6 and then we did a survey. On Wiki space we also play Maths games. It's really cool! I love it! We have been revising our times tables. We also learned a new game called snakes which help us with this. Next week we will be learning more about fractions. Last week, on Thursday, we played Maths games.

**We did it ourselves!!!**

## **Language:**

In language we did a lot of reviews on the author Ian Billings and we did cursive handwriting and presentations. In language we have been doing some activities on spelling through the week. We are learning about many things in language like verbs. We are learning to do different topics in children's rights. We had to do some activity sheets on adverbs, nouns, adjectives, verbs and pronouns.

## **EVENTS:**

**In Year 6:**

In year six I learned a lot of things about year 6 for example, playing a new game called "snakes".

In unit of inquiry we have been learning about children's rights and how they are violated.

**Last Week:**

Last week I brought my turtle to school and now he is our class pet. His name is Nibbles. We did the Want and Needs poster. Last week we did a sheet on compare and contrast to see how we compare to each other and to the poor children in the world. Last week in music our music teacher told us that we will be doing a play on bullying

**This Week:**

This week the parents had a meeting with the teachers. In P.E we are learning Australian football and is fun! We had fun because we met an author named Ian Billings who was funny and he gave me more enthusiasm which encourages me more to read. You could buy books from Ian Billing in the library.

**Next Week:**

After school activities will start next week so bring the form by Thursday  
Arabic for Beginners is going to start on Tuesday.

## **Events**

### **In ISLQ:**

#### **Last week:**

In ISLQ we have something new that is very cool. It's the mini laptops that we are using in class. They made new classrooms and we have new great teachers and new students too. We had our first assembly and we have a new principal of the school. We saw our new teachers.

#### **This Week:**

Athletics students will be chosen. We had an excellent and hilarious performance by Ian Billings.

#### **Next Week:**

There are going to be after school activities. Arabic for Beginners is going to start.

## **REMINDERS:**

### **Homework:**

If you forgot your homework its on the wiki page. If you wrote it in your homework diary then your parents/guardians must sign it. We must read 30 minutes a day and if we like we can even read more then 30 minutes it would be better. Please check for your son or daughters homework.

### **Things to Bring In:**

You have to bring your P.E kit on Sunday and Wednesday. Also bring your recorder on Wednesdays to do music. Indoor Athletics are on Monday, Wednesday and Thursday, only this week. We are a nut free school so don't bring in nuts and bring water and hats if you want play outside. It would be good if you could bring in some current events You must not bring junk food to school. If you are absent don't forget to bring in a note from your parents

### **Library Days:**

6R go to the library on Mondays, so don't forget to finish your book by then. Don't forget to read at least 30 or more minutes every day. And write it in your reading record. You can only keep a library book for 2 weeks and you can only borrow 2 books at a time. 6G have library time on Sunday. The library helps us take more information that we really almost don't know.

### **P.E.:**

In PE we must bring our kits so that we could play comfortably and bring shoes that do not mark and a change of clothes. We have PE on Sundays and Wednesdays. In P.E we are doing Australian football and athletics, it's really fun. Remember no jewelry. Always bring a set of clothes to change into after P.E. We learnt the Snap-Kick, Banana Kick and the Torpedo Kick. Well done to all the teams for getting a draw!

### **In the community:**

It is almost winter and it's not going to be hot in Qatar and we are going to play outside soon. YEAH!!!

#### **Last Week:**

Evolution Soccer started  
Aqua park opened.

#### **This Week**

Women's tennis at Kalifa tennis stadium tickets can be bought now. It's on 26th-31st this month!

#### **Next Week:**

In November a Paintball tournament will be held. In 2011 a Qatar Masters golf tournament will be held.

## **OTHER ITEMS OF INTEREST:**

No chewing gum in the classroom.

Each day after school, we must open our wiki page in order to see our homework.

Do not wear long earrings or other jewelry during P.E.

No Mobile Phones, iPods, PSPs and Iphones in the classroom. ISLQ is not responsible for things like Mobile Phones, iPods, Cameras and other electronic devices.

6R must bring recorders on Wednesday, or you will get in trouble with Ms.O.

World Math Day next year is on March 1, 2011.

Bring refillable water bottles.

Never swear at people because younger kids are going to do the same and then it becomes a huge problem.